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SUMMARY RECORD OF FIFTEENTH MEETING OF  
QUADRIPARTITE WORKING GROUP ON GERMANY AND BERLIN  
APRIL 8, 1960

Participants:United Kingdom

Viscount Hood  
 Mr. Logan  
 Mr. Drinkall

France

Mr. Laloy  
 Mr. Winckler  
 Mr. de Lousse

Germany

Dr. Carstens  
 Mr. Krapf  
 Mr. Pauls  
 Mr. Osterheld  
 Mr. Ruesckriegel

United States

Mr. Kohler  
 Mr. Hillenbrand  
 Mr. Vigderman  
 Mr. Kearney  
 Mr. McKiernan  
 Mr. Dean

Defense - Col. Schofield

The meeting was devoted to discussion of a new draft of the Berlin section of the Working Group report prepared by the U.S. side. Dr. Carstens suggested that a possible disadvantage of the July 28, 1959 Western proposals on Berlin was that the access clauses were insufficiently specific. He noted that Mayor Brandt and the Berlin Senat had strongly suggested that these proposals, if they were to be readvanced again, be amplified to contain more detail on access arrangements. Dr. Carstens also suggested that the minimum requirements on Berlin security in the Working Group draft specify that the security guarantee to be extended to the city under a modus vivendi be a NATO guarantee and that the troops to be stationed in the city be forces from the present occupying powers.

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